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In re: Bastow et al.

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO
OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 9, 2006**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action of November 9, 2006.

If any extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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